UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, No. 07 Civ. 9235 (CSH) - against -**RULE 7.1 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT** LLOYDS TSB BANK PLC, Defendant.

Pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, defendant Lloyds TSB Bank plc hereby discloses that it is wholly owned by its parent corporation, Lloyds TSB Group plc, which is a publicly held corporation, the shares of which are traded on the London and New York Stock Exchanges.

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